

## ASCON LANDFILL SITE NORTH BERM REPAIR STATUS

### DESCRIPTION OF WORK COMPLETED AS OF END OF DAY MAY 6:

Berm soil was excavated and removed to and placed in a covered treatment area within the Site interior. DTSC was onsite and the excavation work concluded around 10:20 a.m. Odor suppressants were applied to the excavated area, including Odor-Shell®. Odor-Shell® and Posi-Shell® are natural clay-based products that are mixed together with water, producing a spray-applied slurry that dries like stucco. No fragrances are added by the Ascon team to odor suppressant products used for the North Berm work.

Work planned for Thursday, May 7: Excavation under managed excavation process in compliance with DTSC direction. DTSC will be onsite to observe the work.

**ESTIMATED VOLUME OF MATERIAL REMOVED:** Approximately 125 CY excavated on Wednesday, May 6, in compliance with direction and oversight by DTSC. The volume of soil estimated for removal to repair the North Berm is over 75 percent completed.

**ESTIMATED REMAINING DAYS TO COMPLETE EXCAVATION OF BERM:** Mobilization began April 13, with excavation starting on April 21. The conservative estimate is four weeks of excavation. The daily rate is limited by DTSC as a managed excavation which extends the total duration (mobilization, field activity, demobilization) to potentially up to five weeks.

**PERSONNEL ONSITE:** Approximately 30 people mobilized. Personnel undergo a health and safety screening upon arrival every day, following additional protocols for COVID-19. Each day starts with a mandatory safety briefing and job safety analysis (JSA) review.

**EQUIPMENT ONSITE:** Two excavators, dump truck, Rusmar foam units, hydro seeder for odor suppressants, skid steer, two water trucks, manlift, forklift, pressure washers, reinforced plastic sheeting, and odor suppressant products.

### AIR MONITORING CONDUCTED:

WORK ZONE ✓ LANDFILL PERIMETER ✓ OFFSITE COMMUNITY MONITORING ✓

**DUST AND ODOR MITIGATION:** No scents are added to odor suppressant products.

Rusmar® Foam ✓ Water ✓ Posi-Shell®/Odor-Shell® ✓ CupriDyne® ✓ Reinforced plastic sheeting ✓

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